S&H Form: (10/03) 1454,1081 Attorney Docket No. **Application Number** 09/943.091 MENDMENT Filing Date August 31, 2001 FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Horst-Udo HAIN 2655 **Group Art Unit** AMOUNT ENCLOSED 0.00 **Examiner Name** ALBERTALLI, BRIAN LOUIS FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03) CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining Highest Number Number Previously Paid For **AMENDED** After Amendment Extra Rate Calculations TOTAL CLAIMS 11 20 = 0 X 18.00 = 0.00 INDEPENDENT 0 X\$ 88.00 = 0.00 4 = 4 **CLAIMS** Since an Official Action set an original due date of October 25, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$430)); (3 months (\$980)); (4 months (\$1,530)); (5 months (\$2,080): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$340.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) Total of above Calculations = \$ 0.00 Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) TOTAL FEES DUE = 0.00 (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT Check enclosed as payment. X Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date). **GENERAL AUTHORIZATION** If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit \boxtimes any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935 STAAS & HALSEY LLP Deposit Account Name The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required 冈 under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Typed Name Mark J. Henry Reg. No. 36.162 Out 25 2004

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 23, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on October 23, 2004, being a Saturday, on October 25, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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